



2724

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

STEPHEN F. GASS

Date: December 6, 2004

Serial No. : 09/929,238

Examiner Thomas J. Druan

Filed : August 13, 2001

Group Art Unit 3724

For : **MITER SAW WITH
IMPROVED SAFETY SYSTEM**

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Submitted herewith is an Information Disclosure Statement as required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98. It is hereby certified that no item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, and, to the knowledge of the person signing the certification after making reasonable inquiry, no item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was known to any individual designated in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on December 6, 2004.

Renee Knight

Respectfully submitted,

SD3, LLC

Stephen F. Gass, Esq.
Registration No. 38,462
Customer No. 27630
22409 S.W. Newland Road
Wilsonville, Oregon 97070
Telephone: (503) 638-6201
Facsimile: (503) 638-8601



Substitute for form 1449A-B/PTO

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

Sheet 1 of 1

| Complete if Known | |
|----------------------|-----------------|
| Serial No. | 09/929,238 |
| Filing Date | August 13, 2001 |
| First Named Inventor | Stephen F. Gass |
| Group Art Unit | 3724 |
| Examiner Name | Thomas J. Druan |
| Attorney Docket No. | SDT 315 |

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

OTHER PRIOR ART – NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS

| | | | |
|--------------------|----------|---|-----------------|
| Examiner Initials | Cite No. | Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published. | T ² |
| | | | |
| | | | |
| Examiner Signature | | | Date Considered |

* EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

✓ Translation or partial translation included.